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## STATE NEWS.

—Kershaw county has purchased \$8,000 worth of road machinery.

—Although South Carolina laws allow no divorce, a Charleston woman has been granted alimony.

—The truck planters adjacent to Charleston this season had 10,332 acres planted in vegetables.

—The body of a negro, badly mutilated by crabs, was found floating in the Ashley river near Charleston.

—Last week a woman in Union died of appendicitis, which the physicians say was caused by tight lacing.

—A returned soldier from the Philippines, with a case of leprosy, is said to be isolated in South Carolina.

—Rev. N. W. Gordon has resigned as pastor of the Abbeville Baptist church and has accepted a call to Fort Mill.

—Joe Davis, who killed the chief of police of Bamberg, has been given ten years by Judge Gary for manslaughter.

—A primary election has been ordered in Sumter to fill the vacancy caused there by the death of the clerk of the court.

—Northern capitalists have become interested in Batesburg land, and as a result a fine winter hotel will be erected there soon.

—Three negro men lost their right arms by a isolated blast explosion at the Catawba Power company's plant near Rock Hill.

—John Milligan, 11 years old, of Mt. Pleasant, Charleston, has been held for the murder of his mother. He will be tried at the next Sessions Court.

—Furman University has been voted out of the College Athletic Association of this State because they have men on their team who are not college students.

—A negro lawyer named Rivers was convicted in the United States court in Charleston for pension frauds and sentenced to three years in prison and a fine of one \$100.

—York will have another cotton mill. The Morton Spinning Company, of Clover, has received permission to open books of subscription. The capital stock will be \$150,000.

—The claims growing out of the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian exposition have been settled. Of the \$140,000 which Capt. F. W. Wagener paid out he gets back about \$95,000.

—In Winnsboro while R. T. Matthews was opening his cash drawer, a gun which was attached to the same was accidentally discharged, the load lodging in Mr. Matthews' left arm, inflicting a painful but not serious wound. Mr. Matthews' store had been robbed several times in the past two or three years; hence the trap gun.

## GENERAL NEWS.

—Andrew Carnegie has given the Tuskegee institute in Alabama \$600,000.

—Dr. Bevan, of Chicago, says there have been 91 deaths in that city from hydrophobia since 1891.

—An appropriation of \$200,000 has been made by the Virginia legislature for the Jamestown celebration.

—The rebels in San Domingo opened the prisons, and armed criminals have taken possession of the city.

—Walter Smith, aged 17, shot and killed his father at Clinton, Mass., for wrongs inflicted on his mother.

—Oil was struck near Bristol, Virginia, last week in a 1200 foot well. Great excitement prevails in that region.

—Mme. Adelina Patti is to make a tour of the United States next fall, receiving \$5,000 for each of sixty concerts.

—The men of Indiana are taller than those of any other State or nation in the world. This is shown by army records.

—Rebels are besieging Monte Christi, Danish West Indies, by land and sea. The revolutionists are gaining strength.

—Mrs. Minnie Cummins, of St. Louis, shot and killed her husband when she found him searching her clothes for money.

—The bell of the Southern Methodist church at Pratt City, Ala., was stolen on last Friday night. It was worth about \$150.00.

—One man was killed and another seriously wounded at Wampum, Pa., on Saturday morning before daylight in an attempt to rob a bank.

—At Jamestown, N. Y., a fast express crashed into a freight train. The wreckage took fire and several persons were burned to death.

—The boiler of a saw mill near Winston, N. C., exploded on Wednesday and killed three white men. Low water in the boiler was the cause.

—The pupils of the public schools of Butte, Mont., have demanded shorter hours and threaten to strike if their demand is not complied with.

—Portland, Ore., has begun preliminary work on an exposition to be held in 1905 to commemorate the Lewis and Clark expedition across the continent.

—A couple were married at Marion, Indiana, recently. Their friends went to the depot and handcuffed the bride and groom and they had to submit to it till they got to Frankfort, where a policeman unlocked the handcuffs.

—The youngest married couple in the United States is said to be Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hanner, of Palmere, Ky., aged respectively 13 and 11. They have been "set up to house-keeping" on a farm all to themselves.

—E. J. Kennedy, of Greensboro, N. C., was robbed of \$1,761 and his railroad ticket on the train between his home and Roanoke, Va., on Wednesday.

—Willie Habbuton, 11 years old, was arrested in Washington as a tramp. He had walked from Ashville, N. C., to see, as he said, the Washington monument.

—Daniel Dove, a prosperous farmer of Columbus, Ark., shot and killed his brother's wife and then killed himself on account of a difficulty between the two brothers over some land.

—Edward Groom died at his home in Mount Holly, N. J., on Sunday aged 99. He had been ill only a few days and this was the first time he had ever needed the services of a physician.

—Georgia has produced another negro desperado. Whitley Williford, recently escaped from the chaingang, shot and killed two of his pursuers, robbing the body of one, and again escaping.

—Andrew Carnegie has offered to place a million and a half dollars at the disposal of the Netherlands government for the erection and maintaining of a permanent home for an international court of arbitration.

—United States Senator Clark, of Montana, is being sued for breach of promise of marriage by Miss Mary McNellis, who fixes her damages at \$150,000. He is a widower of 60, and she acknowledges to "past 36."

—The Illinois legislature engaged in a general free fight last Thursday over a bill pending in that body. The interior of the legislative chamber resembled the track of a tornado, so general was the wreckage of chairs and desks.

—George F. Gilbert, of Waycross, Ga., has been convicted of breaking cars and stealing goods and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. He is said to be worth \$25,000 to \$30,000, mostly in cash, but his guilt was established beyond a doubt. He endeavored to get the sentence modified, but failed.

—The Southern Railway is at present putting on 30 new engines, part of a large order placed some months ago. The engines have to go through a process called "breaking in" which requires several months. The new engines just from the locomotive works do not run as well as they will run after having been operated for a time.

—At the recent corn carnival at Peoria, Mo., there were on exhibition an apple of the pippin variety and an ear of ordinary yellow corn, the former weighing six pounds and about the size of an average watermelon, while the latter measured fourteen inches in length, contained 947 grains by actual count, was two inches in circumference, and was picked from its stalk nine feet from the ground.

## Mr. Wardlaw Thanks His Friends.

Safford, Arizona, April 19, 1903.

Dear Editors: Permit me through your columns to thank several of your readers who kindly responded to my appeal for aid in building a house of worship at this place. Among the letters received was one from brother Joshua Jameson, who has passed his 80th birthday. I have known him for about thirty years. During that time he has been a very liberal and cheerful giver to the cause of his Master. Following his worthy example his large family of children are also liberal supporters of the Church. Brother Jameson sent me a dollar, and in the same letter was a dollar from his granddaughter, Miss Mary Bramlet. She tells me that she has taught her first school, and the tenth of her earnings belong to the Lord; so she gives him \$1 of it through me. The unfeigned faith that is in her was in her grandmother and is in her mother. Having been brought up in the way she should go she has not departed from it.

From my friend and brother in Christ, R. P. Todd, came a letter saying that he had on hand some of the Lord's money, one dollar of which he gave him through me. Brother John H. Shearer and sister, A. F. Shearer, sent \$2.

Surely there are many others who will yet send me a dollar or more, because our appeal is a worthy one. Graham Mountain, the base of which is eight miles from here, is still covered with snow. It is a beautiful sight to see the green trees and alfalfa and flowers, and feel the warm sunshine in the valley, and just a little way from the snow-capped mountain.

I have decided to remain here another year at least. I was examined last week by one of the best physicians in Phoenix, Arizona, and pronounced well, yet I feel that duty demands that I should continue my work here, where the Lord has blessed my efforts during the last year. I long to feel free from the viewpoint of duty to return to dear old South Carolina and there spend the remainder of my life. But the servant has no right to dictate the field in which he is to work. Soldiers are subject to the orders of their commander-in-chief, whose privilege it is to select the place in the lines where the soldier is to fight. So I feel it is my duty to fight, not command. Contributions are coming from all parts of the State and some from other States. Not one dollar has come from the corporate limits of Anderson yet. But like the boy that had fished all day and caught nothing, I am expecting it in every mail. With best wishes for you and your readers, I am Yours very truly, C. Wardlaw.

—There are a hundred cases of typhoid fever, twenty in a serious condition, and there have been two deaths, at Stanford university, Palo Alto, Cal. The epidemic is attributed to bad milk from a dairy in the city. Many children also have the fever, and the city school attendance has fallen off one-third.

—A woman always does as she pleases, and it is up to a man to please her.

## Watch this Space.

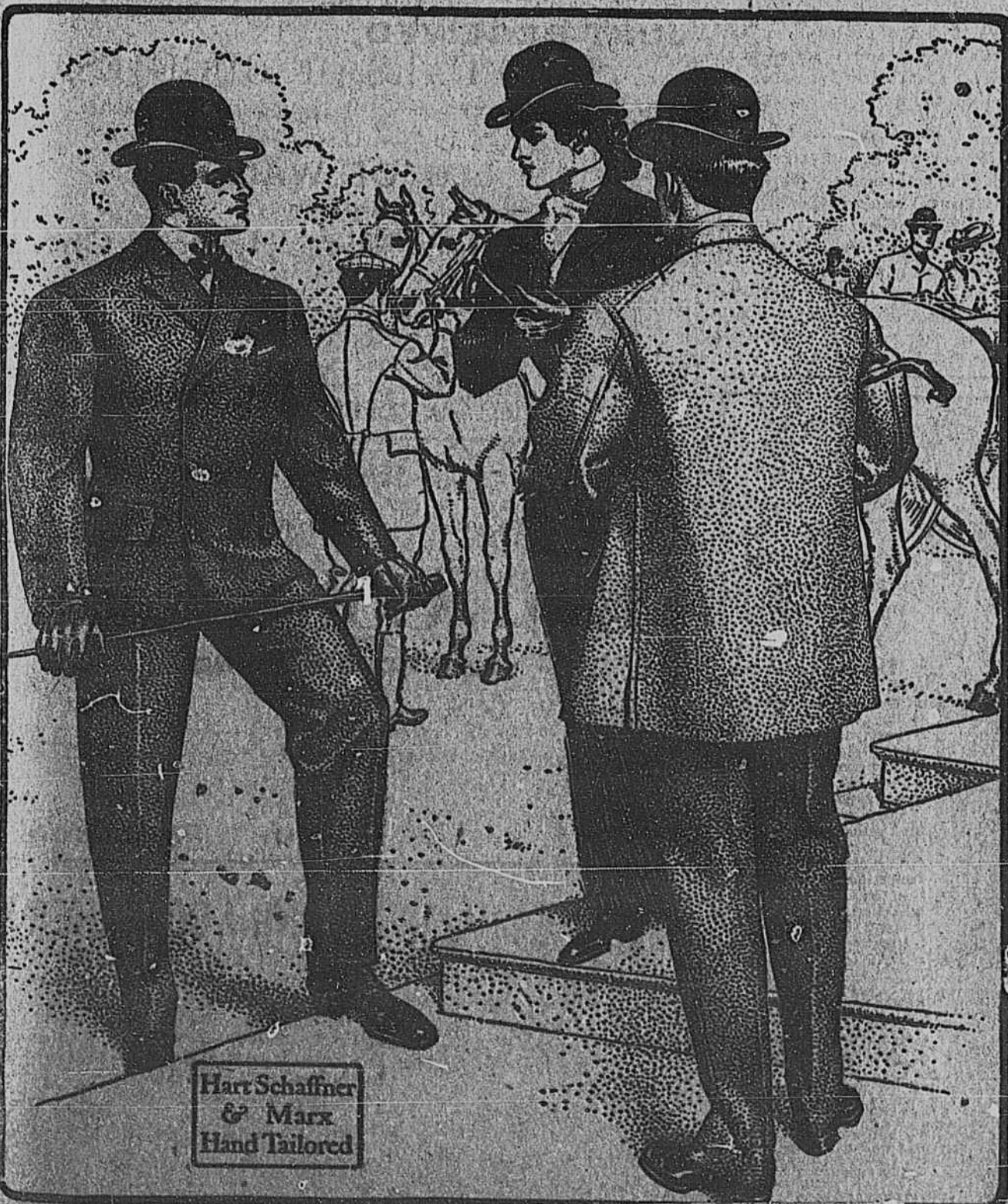
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